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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Confirmation No. 7807

In re : Application of Shan, et al.  
For : **HIGH PEAK-POWER KILOHERTZ LASER SYSTEM  
EMPLOYING SINGLE-STAGE MULTI-PASS  
AMPLIFICATION**  
Serial No. : 10/656,343  
Filed : September 5, 2003  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2005 having a shortened statutory period of response set to expire on November 18, 2005.

Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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